

1. (canceled)

2. (Currently Twice Amended) A paper liner for a selected size plastic grocery sacks sack having a base perimeter and collar height, comprising:

a paper container made of a grade of paper of lighter weight than that used for standard paper grocery sacks ~~of similar base perimeter~~ whereby the paper container is not strong enough to itself alone hold groceries that would normally fit into the container; and having

a base whose perimeter is approximately equal to the base perimeter of ~~standard~~ the selected size plastic grocery sacks sack; and

a height approximately equal to the height to the collar of ~~standard~~ the selected size plastic grocery sacks sack when said ~~standard selected size plastic grocery sacks are~~ sack is opened and expanded.

3. (Previously Amended) A paper liner for plastic grocery sacks, according to Claim 2, wherein the base has dimensions of 12 inches by 7 inches and the height is 12.5 inches.

4. (Amended) A paper liner for plastic grocery sacks, according to Claim 2, wherein the base has dimensions of 12 inches by 7 inches and the height is 10.5 inches.

5. (Previously Amended) A paper liner for plastic grocery sacks, according to Claim 2, wherein the base has dimensions of 11.5 inches by 6.5 inches and the height is 12.5 inches.

6. (Previously Amended) A paper liner for plastic grocery sacks, according to Claim 2, wherein the base has dimensions of 13 inches by 8 inches and the height is 13 inches.

7. (Original) A paper liner for plastic grocery sacks, according to Claim 2, wherein the grade of paper is between 35 lbs. and 50 lbs.

10. (Previously Amended) A paper liner for plastic grocery sacks, according to Claim 2, wherein the base has dimensions of 12 inches by 7 inches and the height is 14 inches.

11. (Currently Twice Amended) A combination of a paper liner and a selected standard plastic grocery sack, comprising:

a selected standard plastic grocery sack having a base perimeter and collar height and

within which the paper liner is positioned; and

a paper liner having a base whose perimeter is approximately equal to the perimeter of the

selected standard plastic grocery sack within which the liner is positioned;

a height approximately equal to the height to the collar of the selected standard plastic

grocery sack within which the liner is positioned when the selected standard

plastic grocery sack is opened and expanded; and

said paper liner is made of a grade of paper lighter in weight than that used for standard

paper grocery sacks ~~of similar base perimeter~~ whereby the paper liner is not strong

enough to itself alone hold groceries that would normally fit into the liner.

12. (Currently Amended) A paper liner for a selected size plastic grocery ~~sacks~~ sack having  
a collar height, comprising:

a paper container made of a grade of paper of lighter weight than that used for standard

paper grocery sacks ~~of similar base perimeter~~ whereby the paper container is not

strong enough to itself alone hold groceries that would normally fit into the

container; and

having a height approximately equal to the height to the collar of ~~standard~~ the selected size

plastic grocery ~~sacks~~ sack when said ~~standard~~ selected size plastic grocery ~~sacks are~~

sack is opened and expanded.

13. (Previously Added) A paper liner for plastic grocery sacks, according to Claim 12,  
wherein the grade of paper is between 35 lbs. and 50 lbs.

14. (Previously Added) A paper liner for plastic grocery sacks, according to Claim 13,  
wherein the height is 12.5 inches.

15. (Previously Added) A paper liner for plastic grocery sacks, according to Claim 13,  
wherein the height is 10.5 inches.

16. (Previously Added) A paper liner for plastic grocery sacks, according to Claim 13,  
wherein the height is 13 inches.

17. (Previously Added) A paper liner for plastic grocery sacks, according to Claim 13, wherein the height is 14 inches.

18. (New) A combination of a paper liner and a selected standard plastic grocery sack, according to Claim 11, wherein the grade of paper making the liner is between 35 lbs. and 50 lbs.

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